

# Final Exam:

PHY 410 : Do problems 1-3.

PHY 505: Do all 4 problems.

Store all of your codes in a folder called "Final" at the top level of your directory. Please accept the assignment here: <https://classroom.github.com/a/PfA9xUjJ>

**Name your codes "Problem1.ipynb", "Problem2.ipynb", "Problem3.ipynb" and "Problem4.ipynb".**

For Problems 1 and 2, consider the effective potential of a co-rotational frame in a 2-d 3-body system as we discussed in class:

$$V(x', y') = -\frac{1 - \alpha}{\sqrt{(x' - \alpha)^2 + y'^2}} - \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{(x' + 1 - \alpha)^2 + y'^2}} - \frac{x'^2 + y'^2}{2}$$

where  $x'$  and  $y'$  are the horizontal and vertical dimensions in the co-rotating reference frame.

For the remainder of the discussion, we will write these as  $x$  and  $y$ , but do not get confused, these are still the rotating frame. Use  $\alpha = 0.25$  for all problems.

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## Problem 1 (25 Points) : Finding Lagrange Points

**Part a (10 points):** Create a separate `python` file called `V_coriolis.py` with a class called `V_coriolis`, with at least two methods `f` (to implement the function above) and `df` (to implement the gradient of the function above). The function `f` should return a single floating point number, and the function `df` should return the  $x$  and  $y$  values of the gradient in a list.

**Part b (25 points):**

Plot the 2-d function as a contour plot.

**ON THE SAME FIGURE**, also plot the gradient using the quiver function.

Use the following parameters:

- \* Plot a square with  $-2 < x, y < 2$  with 101 grid spacing points in each direction.
- \* Use 200 levels on the contour plot.
- \* Use a "stride" of 5 to only plot 1 out of 5 of the vectors in the vector field in the ``quiver`` plot.

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## Problem 2 (25 Points): Trajectories

**Part a (5 points):** Starting with the notebook “ODEs/planetary.ipynb”, copy the class “Rcp3Body” to a file called “Rcp3Body.py” in your “Final” directory. There is a chaotic dynamical system if you use the initial values in the notebook titled “params\_rcp3body\_chaotic”:

```
params_rcp3body_chaotic = {  
    'tau':0.01,  
    'accuracy':1e-6,  
    'a':0.25,  
    'method':'RK45',  
    's':np.array([-0.35, 0.0, 0.0, 0.5]),  
    'tmax':10.  
}
```

\* Run that simulation and plot  $x$  vs  $y$  as a scatter plot, labeling all of the Lagrange points as is done in the example code. **Extend the time to  $t=100$ .**

\* Plot the following on the same plot, label them, and draw a legend:

- \*  $x$  vs time
- \*  $x$  vs time
- \*  $v_x$  vs time
- \*  $v_y$  vs time

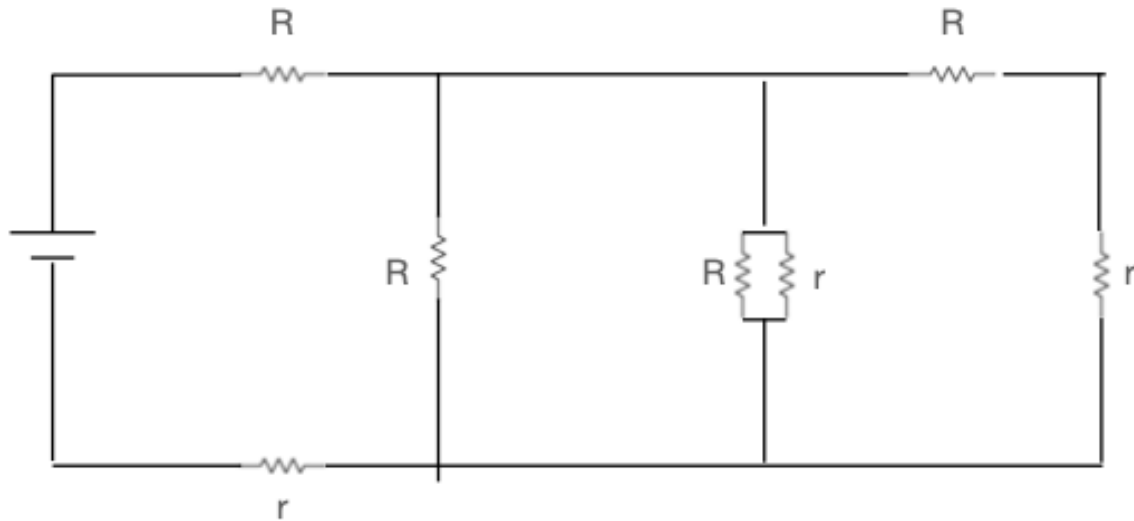
**Part b (10 points):** Take the FFT of all four time series from part a ( $x, y, v_x, v_y$ ) and plot the power series (not the absolute value!) on a log scale. Truncate your time series at  $n=2048$  (do not perform padding). You may also use numpy functions.

**Part c (10 points):** Zero out the components of the FFT spectra above a spectral index of 80. Take the inverse FFT and plot the  $x$  vs  $t$  time series with and without this smoothing procedure on the same plot, labeling each. Also perform the same with  $y$  and plot  $x$  versus  $y$  on the same plot with and without smoothing (with the same number of points  $n=2048$ ), labeling each.

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### Problem 3 (25 Points) : Resistor circuit

Consider the following resistor circuit with  $R = 1$  Ohm and  $r$  varying between 0 and 2 Ohms.



#### Part a (10 points):

Solve this analytically and plot the equivalent resistance for  $r$  between 0 and 2.

#### Part b (15 points):

Solve for the equivalent resistance using a matrix inversion and plot the equivalent resistance for  $r$  between 0 and 2.

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## Problem 4 (25 Points): Particle in harmonic potential

**Part a (10 points):** Starting with the notebook “PDEs/wavepacket.ipynb”, modify the simulation to have a harmonic oscillator potential at the center of the box with energy  $V_0 = 10$ , and the width should be half the length of the box. That is, the formula for the potential should be

$$V(x) = V_0 \left( (x - x_0)/w \right)^2$$

where  $V_0 = 10$  is the height of the potential,  $x_0$  is the middle of the box, and  $w$  should be half the length of the box

**Part b (15 points):** Animate the potential as shown in the “wavepacket” notebook in “PDEs”. I will be executing the notebook so ensure that it works out of the box when you upload it all to GitHub!